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IT'LL BE SOME SHOW

NEARLY FIFTY PEOPLE IN BIG VAUDEVILLE ENTERTAINMENT

THE PROGRAM IS GIVEN

Well Known Maryville Folks Will Take Part In the Big Benefit Performance for Boy Scouts

It has been a long time since Maryville theatre goers have had the opportunity of seeing and enjoying such an entertaining performance as will be offered next Monday night at the Empire theatre when the big benefit vaudeville show for the Boy Scouts will be given. Nearly fifty people will take part in the performance, embracing nine acts of continuous music, comedy and fun, with several novelties thrown in for good measure. Maryville's best talent has enlisted for service for the Boy Scouts and each act on the program is different—something new that Maryville has not seen before. There will be new songs, new features, new plays, new musical novelties, with fun and patriotism enough to satisfy the most exacting.

As indicating the wide range of entertainment together with the performers, the program as prepared reveals the following:

A musical revue, a novelty musical act, by Miss Mary Carpenter, Miss Mary Margaret Richey, Miss Mary Wooldridge and Mr. Virgil Rathbun, from the Conservatory of Music. Four talented young people with something new.

Mrs. Fred P. Robinson, Maryville's well known vocalist, in appropriate songs.

Mr. Ernest Sherlock, another Bud Fisher, who draws them while you wait. Mr. Sherlock has some new stunts with the crayon.

Mr. Marcus T. Nielsen and Miss Helen Johnson in "Hiawatha's Wooing," a pianologue in costume with appropriate scenic setting.

Sutton & Alderman, talented artists, in a one-act playlet, "A Shake Down." One of the big hits of the professional vaudeville stage.

Mr. Frank Green in black-face monologue and eccentric dancing. Appears for laughing purposes only.

Master Laverne Robey on the flying trapeze; a novelty acrobatic act.

Herman & Keller in "Almost Magic"—a big surprise with some astonishing feats in mind reading.

And, of course, the best is saved for the last—a big patriotic finale with twenty-five Boy Scouts, a bunch of pretty girls, army officers, Red Cross nurses, noted Americans and the "Spirit of '76."

Prof. Maulding's orchestra will furnish music for the occasion and each act will be appropriately costumed and given an adequate stage setting. It is promised the show will be the equal or better than any similar show ever given in Maryville and popular prices will be charged with reserved seats selling for fifty cents.

The Scouts and their friends will start on the sale of tickets this evening and from the number of advance reservations that have already been made the show is assured of playing to a packed house. Already a number of line parties are being planned for the evening and the entertainment will take on something of the nature of a society event. Tickets for reserved seats may be exchanged at Reuillard's beginning Thursday.

Mrs. Dudley Improving.

Mrs. John Herren returned Sunday morning from Ashland, Ky., where she was called several weeks ago by the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. Wray Dudley. Mrs. Dudley's many Maryville friends will be pleased to learn that she is improving.

Mrs. Charles McNeal is in Oklahoma City, Okla., visiting her sister, Mrs. S. K. Pinnell.

A CHILD DIES FROM BURNS

Little Three-Year-Old Ruth Upton, Left Alone In House, Played Too Near the Stove

Ruth Armena Upton, 3 years old, died yesterday morning from burns received Sunday night when her clothing caught on fire from the stove. The child, whose parents are dead, was making her home with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Van Kemp, a mile south of Skidmore. Mr. and Mrs. Kemp had gone to do the milking and the baby was left alone in the house. In a few moments the child, with its clothes in flames, ran to Mr. Kemp, who wrapped it in his coat, smothering out the flames. Its body was badly burned. Dr. J. E. Pierpoint of Skidmore was called and dressed the wounds.

The body was taken to Clearmont to the home of an aunt, Mrs. Bud Wilson. Funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Methodist church, Rev. Holland officiating. Burial was in Clearmont cemetery.

PHONECO. WOULD RAISE RATE

Kirksville Public Utility Service Asks Permission of State Public Service Commission

Jefferson City, Jan. 8.—Application of the Southwestern Telephone company for permission to increase its telephone rates in Kirksville, Mo., is now before the Missouri Public Service Commission.

The company seeks to increase the price of business telephones from $2 to $3 a month and residences from $1.50 to $1.75, with extensions to business phones raised from 25 cents to $1.00, and in residences raised from 25 cents to 50 cents.

The company wants the new rates to go into effect February 1, 1918.

CHAS. D. BELLOWS ISREMANED

Maryville Man Is Re-appointed to the State Board of Agriculture by Governor Gardner

Jefferson City, Jan. 8.—Governor Gardner today named C. D. Bellows of Maryville and Lawrence G. Adams of Hoberg, Lawrence county, as members of the state board of agriculture. Each was appointed for a term of four years from January 4. Mr. Bellows succeeds himself and Mr. Adams takes the place of John Parker, whose term has expired.

KILLED AT RAILROAD CROSSING

Amos Sprecher Receives Word of the Death of Relative in California

Amos Sprecher received word Sunday of the death at his home in Los Angeles, Cal., of his brother-in-law, J. H. Wertz, who was instantly killed at a railroad crossing while attempting to cross in his automobile. Mr Wertz was about 60 years old and is survived by his wife. A sister, Mrs. A. R. Robinson lives near Maryville. Mr. Wertz was a former well known resident of Atchison county.

W. R. Logan Sells Farm.

W. R. Logan has sold his 80-acre farm eight miles northwest of Maryville to Dr. A. B. Allen. The price paid was $125 an acre. Mr. Logan will give possession on March 1. Wallace Bros. made the deal.

Left for New Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee O'Grady and baby daughter, Rosalee, left yesterday for Emporia, Kan., where Mr. O'Grady has accepted a position with the Empire Oil company. He was formerly with the water company of Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Peterson and daughter, Mildred, of St. Joseph, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Gillam the last few days, left yesterday morning for their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Carmichael of Pickering announce the birth of a baby daughter, Sunday morning.

FEWER TRAINS HERE

MARYVILLE MUST GET READY TO MEET CHANGED CONDITIONS

NOTIFY C. B. & Q. AGENTS

General Manager L. B. Allen Advises That Material Changes Will Be Made Over the Entire System

While no changes have as yet been made affecting the local train service through the cancellation of trains now running, it seems certain that before long Maryville must be content to get along with fewer trains and diminished service. In preparation for orders that will likely be issued at no very distant date, W. E. Goforth, local agent of the Burlington, is in receipt of the following letter from L. B. Allen, general manager of the road at Chicago. The letter follows:

Chicago, Jan. 1.

Mr. W. E. Goforth, Agent,
Maryville, Mo.

On account of war conditions it has become necessary to make some very material changes in our passenger train service in order to keep our railroad open for the expeditious handling of freight and the prompt movement of troops, which not only originate on our road, but which will be diverted to our line from other railroads on account of congested conditions at terminals and for other reasons which seem expedient, in order to facilitate movement during the period of the war.

It will unquestionably be difficult for a large proportion of the traveling public to accustom itself to these changed conditions, and in your position as a representative of this company, as well as a representative of the United States government, which now has charge of all railroads, it is going to be necessary for you to use your best efforts to explain this situation when confronted with complaints from passengers, pointing out to them in a diplomatic way the public necessity for these changes, and I am relying on you to do this to the full extent of your ability, and am sure we will have your full co-operation in a spirit of lowalty, not only to this company, but to your government, that has found it necessary for the successful prosecution of the war to take this action.

Yours truly,
L. B. ALLEN,
General Manager.

WORK GOESON AT NEW BRIDGE

Ground Is Frozen Making Earth Work Difficult at This Time — Expect to Open Road Soon

Work is progressing slowly on the bridge and fill at the One Hundred and Two river at the pumping station on account of the cold weather, the ground being frozen so hard that earth work has practically been out of the question for several days. Contractor W. W. Randall says it will be several days and perhaps longer before the road will be ready to open again for travel and that the work is being pushed as fast as possible.

SEND 500 GEESE TO MARKET

Residents Saw Unusual Sight as Noisy Birds Passed Along Street

Residents along West Fourth street were called to front windows and porches yesterday by an unusual sight, when a drove of 500 noisy geese were being driven through town to the railroad for shipment to New York. The geese were from the commission house of Clarence Vogt and were worth $1,000. It was the largest shipment ever made from a local house.

Miss Inez Key of Barnard is shopping in Maryville today.

MRS. AUFFART'S STATEMENT

Gives Version of the Accident In Which Wm. Everhart Was Seriously Injured Few Days Ago

Mrs. Joseph Auffart, living south of Maryville, makes the following statement regarding the accident which occurred last Saturday morning in front of the Englemann greenhouses and in which William Everhart was seriously injured: "I, together with my two children, Otis and Elwin, and my niece and nephew, Velere Clark and Harvey Clark, Jr., was on my way to Maryville, and was on the east side of the road. Mr. Everhart, who was going south, was also on the east side of the road. I was forced to stop my horse before I could get by. Mr. Everhart then turned his car to the west side of the road and then swerved east, running into my buggy, breaking one wheel, and throwing my son, Otis, from the vehicle. My horse became frightened and plunged forward, pulling the buggy over my son."

"It was not until he had turned west from my buggy that Mr. Everhart's car turned turtle."

SENDING IN NAMES

DISTRICT DRAFT BOARD HAS MADE NO REPORT YET

CLAIMANTS IN CLASS I

Many Who Have Been Listed for First Call May Have Claims Allowed By the District Board

With all the questionnaires having been sent to registered men, seven days from today the last report should be in and the lists will be closed. The names and lists are being sent to the district board for verification of classification as fast as received, as in most instances, even where registrants have been listed in Class I, claims of some sort have been made, most of them asking exemption on industrial and agricultural uroro on industrial and agricultural grounds. Men who have been listed in Class I may eventually be returned by the district board in another class, so any published list of registrants and classes in which they belong would be in advance of correct information as to where they finally will be placed by the district board. The complete lists of all registrants and the classes in which they are placed by the district board will be given as soon as the correct lists are received by the local board. So far no returns have been made of classifications fixed by the local board.

With the last of the questionnaires sent out attorneys notice a falling off of applicants for help. Some interesting and amusing things occur in attorneys' offices when question lists are presented. In one office this morning the question: "Have you any religious convictions?" was repeated to the registrant. "I don't know," he replied. "I belong to the Catholic church, and you can put it down like that."

Another wanted to join the quartermaster's "cops," and a third, who had replied that he had gone no further in school than the second grade, decided that he would enter the medical reserve corps.

There is still an immense amount of clerical work in connection with the return o fthe questionnaires and classification, after which will come the call for physical examinations.

Will Have Home Talent Play.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Graham Methodist church will give a home talent play tomorrow night at the opera house. The money will be used for the benefit of the Aid Society.

Jake and Pete Wonderly, John Sapp, August King and Julius Struby and son were among the Conception business visitors here yesterday.

II AWAITING CALL

NODAWAY FURNISHES MORE THAN QUOTA OF PHYSICIANS

LUEDDE WITHOUT FACTS

Letter Accusing Medics of Being Slackers Is Refuted by Records of Men Who Have Enlisted

Nodaway county physicians are not slackers, even though Maj. H. W. Luedde, secretary of the medical section of the Missouri State Committee on National Defense, does take them to task for not being represented in the surgeon general's office. Maj. Luedde's letter to Secretary E. M. Claypool of the Commercial Club in reply to information sent him regarding Nodaway county's desire to secure a base hospital, accusing the medical men of Nodaway county of a lack of patriotism in not enlisting for service in the Medical Reserve Corps, was written, evidently, without the facts being at hand.

Thirteen physicians from Nodaway county have been examined for service in the medical reserve corps and eleven have been accepted and are awaiting orders to go to the front. Two have been rejected for physical disabilities. This means that out of a quota of eight assigned for this county to the medical section of the army, twenty-five per cent more have enlisted than was asked. The physicians of the county do not believe that would be called slacking.

The physicians who have been examined are. Doctors H. S. Rowlett, Wm. M. Wallis, Jr., Frank Wallis, K. C. Cummins, L. E. Dean, F. R. Anthony, J. C. Manning and J. E. Pierpoint of Skidmore (the only two physicians in that town), E. L. Crowson, of Pickering, H. S. Dowell of Clearmont, A. D. Barnett and Dr. Wells of Guilford, and R. E. Ferguson of Elmo. All were accepted but Dr. Frank Wallis and Dr. F. R. Anthony.

Maj. Luedde has been made acquainted with the facts in the case, when it is believed he will have reason to change his estimate of Nodaway county folks in general and of the local medical fraternity in particular.

COM'L. CLUB PLANS AN EVENT

Entertainment for Members the Last of This Month Will Be Something Different From Others

Directors of the Commercial Club are planning an entertainment the last of the month for the members o fthe club that will be something of an innovation as the committee in charge have been given carte blanc to provide something different. President C. W. Yehle has named Marcus T. Nielsen and Neil Somerville as assistants to H. L. Raines, chairman of the entertainment committee and they are now at work formulating a program for the event.

This is not the annual meeting of the Commercial Club, this occurring in April ,when new officers are elected, but is in the nature of an "added attraction" not on the calendar. The date has been left open for awhile until detailed plans are completed. It will take place, however, some time the latter part of January.

"PULL" DOESN'T COUNT THERE

Major Brown Tells Men In Officers' Training Camp "Boot Licking" Will Be Looked on With Disfavor

Camp Funston, Jan. 8.—So called "pull" and "boot licking" will not get any of the students anything at the third officers' training camp which has just started here. Major Lewis Brown, Jr., told the students in formally opening the school.

"It is not intended to prevent any students from seeking advice from his company commander, but it is bad taste for a man to obtain favor by "boot licking," he said. "It is bad taste to introduce relatives to officers connected with the school."

Are Six Months Old.

Lula Mary, Lena Marie and Lilly Fern, the triplet daughters of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Nichols of Wilcox, were six months old Sunday, January 6, 1918. The children are in good health and weigh respectively 13½, 12½ and 12 pounds.

H. E. Bailey, the well known Quitman banker, was transacting business here yesterday.

WILSON'S PEACE PROGRAM

The President States Exactly What It Will Take to Establish a Permanent Peace In the World

Washington, Jan. 8.—The open and free consideration of the covenants of peace is the only way that a permanent peace can be secured, President Wilson told a special session of congress today. He re-stated specifically and emphatically the peace aims of the Allies, so far as the United States was concerned, and for the benefit of the Russian people the re-statement was specific for declaring against private international understandings for the absolute freedom of the seas, for the removal of all economic barriers, the establishment of trade agreements, the reduction of national armaments, an impartial adjustment of all colonial claims based on a strict observance in the interest of the governed, the evacuation of all occupied Russian territory and the freedom of Russian to settle her own international affairs.

Also the evacuation and restoration of Belgium now occupied by the French, the territory including Alsace-Lorraine, the readjustment of the Italian frontiers, autonomy for the people of Austria, the evacuation of Roumania, Serbia, Montenegro, the Dardanelles to be internationalized, independent Polish states for all Polish nationalities, the created freedom of all nations small and great. "For such arrangements and covenants," he concluded, "we are willing to fight and to continue to fight until they are achieved."

MARRIED 4 MONTHS-DIVORCE

Mrs. Joseph Price Seeks Separation From Jos. Price—Wants Maiden Name of Foreman Restored

Four months of married life was enough to convince Mrs. Velma Price that "wedded bliss" was not all she had thought it would be, as indicated in her petition for divorce filed in the office of the circuit clerk today. In her petition Mrs. Price says she was married to her husband, Joseph Price, in Maryville on April 17, 1917, and that he failed to provide any of the necessities of life for her, not even clothing, and that she was taken to the home of her parents where she was obliged to seek aid from them. The couple have been separated since August 22. Mrs. Price askes that her maiden name of Velma Foreman be restored and that she be granted an absolute decree of divorce.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Seipel west of Maryville announce the birth of a daughter, born this morning. Mrs. Seipel is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sturm.

Miss Ethel Hasty, who has been visiting for the last few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hasty, east of Maryville, returned this morning to her home in Tarkio.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Neighbors of St. Joseph will make their home at the R. S. Braniger home on North Buchanan street.

Among the out of town people in Maryville are Mrs. Lon Monk, Mrs. R. T. Noakes and son, Robert, of Burlington Junction.

Miss Fern Campbell, who has been spending the holidays with relatives in Barnard and Maryville, left last night for Mexico, Mo., where she attends college.

August King of Conception has rented his farm to his sons and has moved to old Conception to make his home.

Marriage License to Maryville People.

A marriage license was issued yesterday in St. Joseph to Miss Laura Blanche Gann and Alva Chappell, both of Maryville.

Mrs. Rankin Lyle, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Dickey, of near Barnard, for the last few days, returned last night to her home in Maryville.

KAISER'S THRONE HANGS IN BALANCE

EMPIRE IS CONFRONTED WITH GREATEST CRISIS IN HISTORY

PEOPLE WANT PEACE, THE ARMY IS FOR WAR

Hints of Military Uprising if Peace Program is Not Accepted—Getting Ready for Big West Offensive

Amsterdam, Jan. 8.—The fate of the Kaiser's throne in Germany hangs in the balance and today the German Empire is confronted with one of the greatest crises in its history, the result of a conflict between the political government and the high command of the army. The necessity of making a decision that will solve the gigantic problem is up to the kaiser himself.

The information that the situation was grave in Germany was secured through diplomatic circles at The Hague today, and according to dispatches, the emperor conferred all day Sunday with members of his general staff and the minister of war. There are hints of a military uprising if the kaiser rejects the peace program that has been presented to him. The whole affair is made more critical by the demands of Austria for peace and the insistent demands of the Serialists that the Russian terms be accepted.

London, Jan. 8.—That the time is near when Germany will launch her largely advertised offensive on the western front, if one is to be undertaken at all, is the opinion expressed by military critics today. Dispatches from the front dwelt upon the constantly increasing artillery fire all along the battle line, while aerial observers report the concentration of German troops at various points.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Credence in the long heralded reports that the German offensoive is soon to begin is expressed by Secretary Baker in his weekly review of the military situation today. It will possibly be the kaiser's greatest assault, he declares, because the German high command has long delayed, but he expreses complete confidence that the British and French can be relied upon to hold the lines intact.

Must Supply 100 Million Bushels.

Washington, Jan. 8. — The United States must supply her allies with 100 million bushels of wheat. These are the latest figures of Food Administrator Hoover, based on the new food survey, which shows the food situation is much more serious than first reports indicated.

Reading's Appointment Temporary.

London, Jan. 8.—The appointment of Lord Reading as British high commissioner and special ambassador to the United States is only temporary, according to the London Chronicle today.

Congratulations to Lloyd George.

Washington, Jan. 8. — Both President Wilson and Colonel House have sent telegrams of congratulation to Premier Lloyd George following his great speech in London on the war aims of the Allies.

Unrest Still In Spain.

Paris, Jan. 8. — The revolutionary spirit is still simmering in Spain and the government is taking steps to meet an outbreak, according to a special message received here.

Miss Bertha Fanning spent Sunday in Barnard with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fanning.

THE WEATHER

Snow; colder Wednesday.

Empire Theatre, Wednesday, January 9th

FLORENCE LaBADIE and H. E. HERBERT. in

"The Man Without a Country"

A Dramatization of Edward Everett Hale's Story
An Intensely Patriotic Production

Admission 17 and 28c *Admission 17 and 28 cents*

Christian Church
7:30 p. m. TONIGHT

"The Lion of Venice"

Admission 10 and 15 cents

Feature Tonight
Empire Theatre
11 and 17 cents

The Greater Vitagraph, with
MARY ANDERSON,
One of the youngest leading women on the screen, in
Sunlight's Last Raid
A heart story of an Eastern girl who falls in love with a Westerner.
Tomorrow, 'A Man Without a Country'

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Graham M. E. Church Notes.

Services Sunday, January 13, as follows:

Graham—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.

Mt. Zion—Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Swan Chapel—Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Rockford—Sunday school at 10 a. m. The revival service will continue through the week. Service each evening at 7:30 p. m.

We invite all the friends to these services. E. W. CROY, Pastor.

A Record Cream Delivery.

Mrs. W. H. Freese living near Maryville holds the record for the largest amount of high grade cream at one delivery, having brought in a ten gallon can on Saturday, for which she reived $19.20.

Chris Moon of Pickering was in Maryville on business today.

For Burning Eczema

Greasy salves and ointments should not be applied if good clear skin is wanted. From any druggist for 35c, or $1.00 for extra large size, get a bottle of zemo. When applied as directed it effectively removes eczema, quickly stops itching, and heals skin troubles, also sores, burns, wounds and chafing. It penetrates, cleanses and soothes. Zemo is a clean, dependable and inexpensive, penetrating, antiseptic liquid. Try it, as we believe nothing you have ever used is as effective and satisfying.

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"We have had several brushes with the enemy since reaching the trenches here, which I am sure I would not have reached had it not been for Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. It has entirely cured me of indigestion and awful gas in my stomach. 'Army food now digests as good as mother's used to." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucous from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Maryville Drug Company.

JUST ARRIVED.

CAR GOOD HARD NUT COAL. $13.00 PER TON. WM. EVERHART.

Announcement

I wish to announce that I am prepared to furnish music for all occasions. Any instrumentation or number of pieces desired. SATISFACTION IS GUARANTEED. I respectfully solicit a share of your patronage.

ALMA M. NASH.
Hanamo phone 10.

Make Your Own Cough Syrup and Save Money

Better than the ready-made kind. Easily prepared at home.

The finest cough syrup that money can buy, costing only about one-fifth as much as ready-made preparations, can easily be made up at home. The way it takes hold and conquers distressing coughs, throat and chest colds will really make you enthusiastic about it.

Any druggist can supply you with 2½ ounces of Pinex (60 cents worth). Pour this into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. Shake thoroughly and it is ready for use. The total cost is about 65 cents and gives you a full pint—a family supply—of a most effectual, pleasant tasting remedy. It keeps perfectly.

It's truly astonishing how quickly it acts, penetrating through every air passage of the throat and lungs—loosens and raises the phlegm, soothes and heals the inflamed or swollen throat membranes, and gradually but surely the annoying throat tickle and dreaded cough will disappear entirely. Nothing better for bronchitis, spasmodic croup, whooping cough or bronchial asthma.

Pinex is a special and highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, and is known the world over for its prompt healing effect on the throat membranes.

Avoid disappointment by asking your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with full directions and don't accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction or money promptly refunded, goes with this preparation. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

MISSOURI WAR CONFERENCE

State Council of Defense Calls Meeting at Columbia January 16-17 —Notable Speakers to Attend

Maryville hopes to send a delegation to Columbia on January 16-17 to a meeting called by the Missouri Council of Defense and directors of the Commercial Club will endeavor to see that this city is represented. The theme for the war conference is expressed in these words: "To re-invigorate and thoroughly energize the patriotic spirit of the people of Missouri." The conference is similar in scope to state-wide war conferences held in the western, central and southern states under the direction of the Committees on Public Information, acting at the instance of the president.

Fourteen thousand invitations have been sent out to patriotic Missourians, assuring a large attendance of representatives of county councils and township councils of defense, the Patriotic Speakers Bureau of the Missouri Council of Defense, the Four-Minute Men of Missouri, editors, preachers, educators, labor representatives and individuals prominent in various war movements.

The principal speakers will be the secretary of the interior, Franklin K. Lane, and Sir Frederick E. Smith, attorney-general of Great Britain and former head of the British war censorship. Other speakers include assistant secretary of agriculture, Carl Vrooman; Dr. A. E. Taylor, United States food administration representative at the inter-allied Paris conference; Hon. Gurney E. Newlin, representing the Council of National Defense; Hon. Arthur E. Bestor, chairman of the speaking division of the Committee on Public Information; Hon. Bertrand C. Nelson, professor of public speaking at the University of Chicago; Hon. Mac Martin, northwestern member of the advisory council of the Four-Minute Men of America.

Rev. and Mrs. Dayhoff a Son.

Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Dayhoff of Pickering announce the birth of a son, C. S. Dayhoff, Jr., born last night at the St. Francis hospital at Maryville.

To The Public

Our business has grown from a few hundred dollars ten years ago to many THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS the past year. We appreciate your confidence in us and extend to you our many thanks and best wishes.

The volume of business that we are doing requires changes from time to time for our mutual benefit, and we have decided that on February 1, 1918, to change from our present credit system, to a SPOT CASH SYSTEM.

By paying for cash, we CAN BUY FOR LESS.
By selling for cash, we CAN SELL FOR LESS.
We feel sure that this method will be more satisfactory and profitable to all concerned.

Remember that we carry the most complete line of Ford parts, Tires, and accessories to be found in Northwest Missouri.

Barmann Auto Co.
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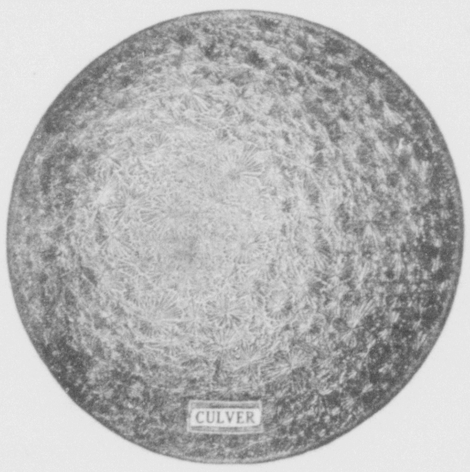

The Culver Radio—A Crystal Clear, Convex Lens—Guaranteed a better light than any other lens. Money refunded if not satisfied. **$2.00 per pair, all sizes.**

The U.S. Copper Cable Co.
EAST SIDE SQUARE
The Inter-State—An Extra Value Car

Corsets—

A Special Sale of our Famous Redfern and Gossard Corsets at Greatly Reduced Prices.

This is a very unusual sale just at this time when everything that goes into the manufacture of corsets are advancing in price every day, but as we have a large number of discontinued styles and models and in some of the finer corsets fancy materials can no longer be obtained, therefore, the manufacturer has discontinued making them. Now if your style, size and model is here, this is a great opportunity for you to buy a high class corset at a big saving.

$12.50 corsets for	$9.19
10.00 corsets for	6.67
8.50 corsets for	5.67
6.50 corsets for	4.33
5.00 corsets for	3.50
4.25 corsets for	3.23
3.50 corsets for	2.67
2.50 corsets for	1.87

These corsets will be sold and fitted with as much pains and care and satisfaction as if they were sold at the regular price. Bear in mind that this is the only store in Nodaway county that employs two expert graduate corsetieres.

Kindly telephone Miss Anna Stapler or Miss Elizabeth Heffern for an appointment which is your guarantee for a perfect corset fitting.

We cannot too strongly emphasize this unusual opportunity, the stock is necessarily limited and we therefore suggest an early appointment. You will not have another chance during the year 1918 to buy high grade corsets at such small prices.

All brassieres will be sold this week at 10 per cent off.

Our Great January Clearance Sale in all departments is still on. Don't fail to take advantage of reduced prices all over the house.

Haines

The only spot cash and one-price dry goods store in Nodaway County.

Elected Officers for Year.

The Farmers Telephone company at Pickering held a meeting last Saturday and elected officers for the coming year. The officers elected were: President, Jacob Wiley; vice president, Dr. E. L. Crowson; secretary, F. M. Wallis; treasurer, Roy Wolfers. John C. Young was made operator again. This is the fifth year Mr. Young has been operator of the Pickering board.

A New Year thought—"Food Is Ammunition; Don't Waste It."

He's Coming

On Friday, January 11, a DeLaval service man will be at our store. We invite all DeLaval users to bring their separators to our store on this day and have them inspected and adjusted Free of Charge. You will also receive free advice on the care and operation of your machine. All persons interested in separators are invited to consult the service man.

KESSLER'S
West Side Hardware.

Roller Skating Rink

Open Every Afternoon and Night

AFTERNOON 3:30 to 5:00 p. m.
NIGHT 7:30 to 10:00 p. m.

A Big Masquerade Party

Thursday, Jan. 10

Everybody Come

Your Health— *and* Your Meat

Clean, sanitary meats—handled in a clean, sanitary market—that's conservation of health and strength.

That's Thrift

Cheap meats are wasteful and apt to be detrimental—conserve your energy by buying the best.

Our prices are as low as our quality permits.

Reimer's Market
410 N. Main.

Pyrex Glass Oven Ware

Pyrex has supplemented all other oven wares.
It will stand a greater amount of heat than earthenware.
It is transparent and process of cooking can readily be seen.
It is absolutely sanitary as glass will not absorb greases, etc.
It is attractive when served on the table.

Guernsey Ware

We are offering you our present stock at 33 1-3 per cent discount. Some really great bargains in—
Mixing Dishes, Casseroles, Tea Pots, Compotes, Pie Baking Dishes, etc

Garrett Hardware Co.
England and Sawyer, Proprietors.
South Side Square.

Stop!Look!Listen!

That's what you see when you cross railroads. It's what you should see at all times in life—for your own good financially as well as physically—especially now during times of war.

Stop—

To reason WHY MONTGOMERY-CUMMINS did more business in 1917 than in any previous year—it's in these words—

Facts Values Service

and we thank you most sincerely for what portion you did to make the past year our biggest, and we now start on another with expectations of increasing over last year by still giving FACTS, VALUES, SERVICE.

Look—

Yes, that's why our business increases yearly, because new customers have **Looked** elsewhere and found, value for value, that they can and always will buy here MORE for the money invested.

Your Future Clothes Needs and a Word of Advice

Listen—

The war's demands and a world shortage are pushing wool and woolen goods higher and higher every day.

We could hold our present stock of suits and overcoats until next season and reap the profits of rising cost—but that's not our way of doing business.

As you know—we have no cut price clothing sales. Our policy is to give maximum value **all the time to all our customers** — not part of the time to part of our customers.

If we held these good clothes back for the higher prices that are sure to prevail next season, we could make a bigger profit — but we would not be living up to our policy of "maximum value to every customer every time he buys."

So we're going to "stick to the ship" — sell good all wool suits and overcoats at prices based on what they cost us **before the rise**, then let next season and all future seasons take care of themselves.

Facts Values Service

Montgomery-Cummins
Clothing Company
Home of Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes.
First Door North of
Nodaway Valley Bank.

Society and Clubland

BY MISS LUTA MOODY
Hanamo 42. Farmers 114

CALENDAR

TUESDAY — The Sunday School board will meet Tuesday night at the First Methodist parsonage.

The Missionary Society and the Aid Society of the South Methodist church will meet in joint session Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. E. Farrar.

WEDNESDAY — The W. C. T. U. will meet at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Epworth League rooms of the First Methodist church.

The I. X. L. Club will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. James Eckles.

THURSDAY—The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Methodist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Epworth League rooms of the church.

Mrs. Ralph Eversole will entertain the members of the Tuesday afternoon Bridge Club at her home Thursday afternoon.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Christian church will meet at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the church.

Public Installation.

The Eastern Star chapter will hold their regular meeting tonight. A public installation of officers will be held.

Will Have Skating Party.

Virgil and Ernest Hartness entertained the members of the Epworth League of the First Methodist church at a skating party last night at the Hastings pond.

W. F. M. S. at Pickering to Meet.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Pickering Methodist church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Roy Wolfers, with Mrs. William McKee as leader. The subject for the afternoon will be, "Come the Methodist." An interesting program will be given.

Entertained at Dinner.

Miss Clara Sherlock entertained at 6 o'clock dinner Sunday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Sherlock. Her guests were: Misses Mary and Helen Tobin, Marguerite Cummins, Marie Cook and Katherine Sherlock.

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stults south of Maryville entertained at dinner Saturday night the following: Orville, Willie and Emery Everhart, Beatrice Everhart and Mrs. Belle Milton of Barnard, Ray and Emery Everhart of Wyoming, Jesse Monroe of Maryville, Mrs. Katherine McKibben, Calvin McKibben, James, Virginia and Goldie Stults and the host and hostess.

Entertain at Supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bancroft of Clearmont entertained the following guests at supper Friday night: Mr. and Mrs. Clark Bancroft, Arthur and Walter Wilson of Maryville, Miss Mildred Oliver of Oklahoma, Max Hoy, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bancroft, Oma and Chester Bancroft. Other guests of the evening were: Mr. and Mrs. William Hoy and children, Orlena and Drexell, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pollock and daughter, Opal, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kellogg and son, Valdo, Mr. and Mrs. George Ripley and son, Samuel. Games were played during the evening and music was furnished by Mrs. Kellogg, Oma Bancroft and Mildred Oliver.

Miss Schwieder Weds.

Miss Dorothy Pierce left Friday for Springfield, Mo., to attend the wedding of a former University of Missouri classmate, Miss Clara Schwieder, to Mr. Gentry of Joplin, which took place at the home of the bride yesterday morning. Miss Schwieder is well known in Maryville, having visited Miss Pierce and Miss May Corwin a number of times.

Ireland Industrial Auxiliary.

The I. I. Club has formed a Red Cross auxiliary known as the Ireland Industrial auxiliary. Their first meeting will be held Thursday, January 17, at the home of Mrs. Claude Shell. Mrs. Al Taylor has been made president of the auxiliary, Miss Lyda Onstot, secretary, and Miss Leta Babb, treasurer. Ed Babb has volunteered to bring an instructor from Maryville out for this first meeting.

Mrs. Wallace Hostess.

The Preparedness Club met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. T. Wallace. Roll was called by Miss Anna Hazel Wallace. The members responded by naming American poets. The afternoon was spent sewing for the French war orphans and knitting for the soldiers. Light refreshments were served by the hostess. The members present were: Mrs. A. R. Robinson, Mrs. L. Clary, Mrs. Roger Chestnut, Miss Anna Hazel Wallace and the hostess.

Willhoytes Have Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Willhoyte and Mrs. M. J. Willhoyte entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Sunday at their country home west of Maryville. Covers were laid for: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. F. Taylor and daughter, Miss Mary, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Taylor and two children, Vernon and Vivian, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Willhoyte and daughter, Leora, and Frank Piece, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Willhovte and daughter, Roberta, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Vert and daughter, Augusta May, David Littler and the host and hostesses.

Change of Meetings.

At a meeting Saturday afternoon, the P. E. O. chapter decided to hold one meeting a month on the second Friday night and to do surgical dressings work every Saturday afternoon at Red Cross headquarters. The programs will be dispensed with for the rest of the year and the monthly meeting will comprise a business session and a social hour. Mrs. O. C. Hanna is captain and Miss May Corwin instructor of the P. E. O. auxiliary. The regular chapter meeting will be held Friday night.

Met Wednesday Afternoon.

The Pioneer Willing Helpers met Wednesday, January 2, with Mrs. George Gay and Mrs. Roy Gay as hostesses. After the business session guessing contests entertained the members. The prizes in the first contest went to Mrs. Samuel Westfall and Mrs. Roy Gay, and in the second contest they went to Mrs. Milt Swearingen and Mrs. Claude Neville. One new member, Mrs. Maggie Westfall, was taken in. Mrs. Samuel Westfall of Miller, S. D., and Miss Powers were guests of the club during the afternoon. Light refreshments were served by the hostesses. Those present were: Mrs. Milt Swearengen, Mrs. Perry Evans, Mrs.

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Thrifty That's what our customers may be called, saving the nation's meat products by using a lesser quantity of the best meats.

You Won't Waste Good Meat

Because there is less waste to it and you are getting something wholesome and good, at the most reasonable price.

We Can't Cut Prices Without Cutting Quality

Stapler's Market
North Side Square

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.
WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

The Third Day of
January Clearance Sale

THIS is the Third Day of our January Clearance Sale. Many have taken advantage of the exceptional opportunities this Great Sale offers—many others should do so, as you are sure to buy merchandise in this sale for less than you will be obliged to pay later.

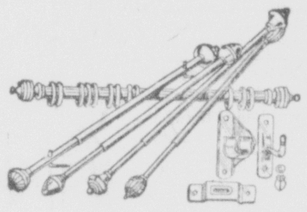
Practically every item in the entire store is now on sale at a reduction—sale closes Saturday Night.

Clearance of Home Furnishings

This department offers wonderful advantages to home-makers—Big assortments to select from and attractive prices on every item in the department.

HERE ARE A FEW OF THE CLEARANCE SALE BARGAINS

Clearance of Curtains



Special lot of Marquisette curtains, 33 inches wide, 2½ yards long, hemstitched, good lace edging, white and ecru, pair.....$1.58

Assorted lot of Brussel Net, Filet Net and Nottingham Lace Curtains, 36 to 45 inches wide, 2½ yards long, good patterns, white, cream and ecru, an exceptional bargain, Clearance Sale Price, the pair $2.59

All other Curtains at a reduction during the Clearance Sale.

CRETONNE

Big assortment of Colonial Cretonnes—new patterns in all color effects, and art sateens in patterns suitable for comforters or drapes. A Clearance Sale special at, the yard 29c

All other Drapery Goods at a reduction in this January Clearance Sale.

BRASS EXTENSION CURTAIN RODS, with white corrugated knobs—extends to 54 inches..7c

38 IN. FILET NETS—White and ecru, very strong and durable, the yard 35c

36 IN. PLAIN MARQUISETTE,—white and ecru.....19c

DOOR MATS

13x23 inch Cocoa Door Mats, special at 79c

COUCH COVERS

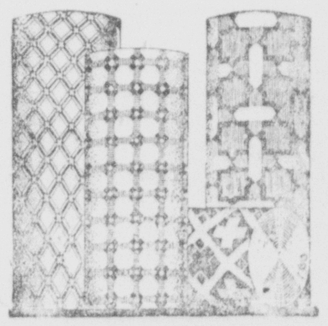
One Special Lot of Couch Covers, 60x90 inches, large enough for sanitary cot, assorted patterns and colors, Clearance Sale Special at $2.75

MATTING

China and Japan Matting, in brown and blue designs, Clearance Sale Bargains, the yard.....21c

RUGS

11-3x12 ft. medium quality Axminster rugs $34.75
9x12 ft. medium quality seamless Axminster rugs $23.75
9x12 ft. medium quality seamed Axminster rugs $22.50
11-3x12 ft. good quality seamless Tapestry Brussels rugs, Oriental and floral patterns.....$24.75
One lot of 9x12 ft. Wool and Fibre rugs in good assortment of patterns and colors.....$9.95
9x12 ft. Congoleum rugs, seamless, big line of patterns.....$8.50



LINOLEUMS

12 ft wide, E quality printed linoleums, good small light patterns, very special at the sq. yd....69c

6 ft. wide, Inlaid Linoleum, tile, wood plank effects, special, the sq. yd. 98c

TABLE RUNNERS

One lot of table runners, made from Tapestry remnants, about 18 inches wide and 50 inches long, edges neatly bound with silk thread, assorted colors, beautiful qualities, Clarance Sale Special, at, each $1.50

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

WANTS

THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good list of prime real estate mortgage loans for disposal, in amounts to suit investors. See us for terms. Over Nodaway Valley Bank. The Sisson Loan & Title Co. 21tf

FOR SALE—Johnson Co. white seed corn in ear, (guaranteed to give satisfactory test, ready now. Call Farmers 41-15 or Hanamo 108. M. C Thompson. 17tf

FOR SALE—A few barrels choice Jonathan apples, sold by the barre only. J. W. Ray, Hanamo phone 5222 15-tf

FOR SALE—Axminster rug, nearly new, 2 iron bedsteads, cot and mattress, table. Call Han. 269. 5-8*

FOR SALE — Scripps Booth roadster in first class condition. Mrs. J. F. Colby, 912 South Walnut. 5-8

FOR SALE—Six head of 3 year old mules, and a span of Belgian horses, —one mare and one horse—4 years old. Also one fresh cow. P. F. Roney, Maryville. 5-8*

FOR SALE—15 tons good, bright oat straw, baled; will deliver in ton lots or more. Roy Lippman. 8-10

FOR SALE—Furniture practically new. Hanamo phone 38. 8-10

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, good condition. Also carriage and harness. J. R. Evans, Farmers phone 15-13. 8-10*

FOR SALE — Stack of hay, some stalk field, pasture, some good corn; also some well broke 4-yr-old mules. Must be sold at once. See J. W. Hudgens, mile south hospital. 7-9*

FOR SALE — In order to close the estate of John Dougan, I must sell before Feb. 1 the property on 314 South Vine St. It includes eight room house with pantry, modern except heat; there is a good cellar, well, cistern, barn, garage, coal bin, and two truck patches. Call or write me at 320 South Vine St. B. F. Dougan, Executor. 2-8

MISCELLANEOUS

LOST—Long black leather purse containing about $4.00, $1.00 bill, some silver, 25c in stamps. Return to Democrat-Forum office. 7-9

BARBER SHOP — 209 East Third street. Hair cut 25c every day in the week; shave 10c except Saturdays. 8-14*

THERE will be a box supper and home talent play at Mount Ayr school Friday, Jan. 11. Nellie Halasey, teacher. 8-10

PLUMBING—We make a specialty of installing modern plumbing in old houses and remodeling old plumbing; estimates free. Standard Plumbing Co., Hanamo 46.

WANTED

WANTED—Good news correspondent at Burlington Junction, Hopkins, Skidmore, Barnard and Ravenwood. For further information write or call at Democrat-Forum office, Maryville, Mo.

BROOM HANDLES WANTED — I will pay two cents each for good straight broom handles. I sell good 2-lb. brooms for 45 cents. James A. DeVore, 513 North Mulberry. Mutual phone 52-17. 8-10*

WANTED — Man for one month's work in country. W. H. Bainum. 7-9

JUST ARRIVED.
CAR GOOD HARD NUT COAL.
$13.00 PER TON. WM. EVERHART.

Kenneth Strawn of St. Joseph is visiting with friends in Maryville.

DR. W. W. TURNER
OSTEOPATH
Treatment of bowel, liver and nervous diseases a specialty.
Office over Alderman-Yehle Store
Both Phones.

Marriage Licenses.

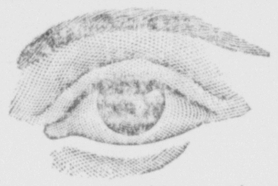
The following have been issued marriage licenses:

Stanley C. Weyand and Sarah Florence Schultz of Verdon, Nebr.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stilwell of Waukon, Ia., who have been visiting during the holidays with relatives in Falls City, Nebr., are spending a few days with Mr. Stilwell's brother, Charles Stilwell, and family.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

CARE FOR YOUR EYES



Let our expert optician examine your eyes free of charge. He will stop that eye strain.

HOLMES JEWELRY CO.
West Side Square.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Grain Market Future

Kansas City, Jan. 8.—CORN—December, $1.27; May $1.26.

Kansas City Live Stock

Kansas City, Jan. 8.—CATTLE — Receipts 7,000; steers $11 @ $14.. cows $6 @ $13.

HOGS—Receipts 13,000; top $16.75; bulk $16. 35 @ $16.70.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Springs, per lb	17c
Hens, per lb	18c
Ducks, per lb	14c
Geese, per lb	14c
Old Roosters, per lb	10c
Hides, green, per lb	12c
Eggs, per dozen	45c
Butter fat, per lb	48c

JUST ARRIVED.
CAR GOOD HARD NUT COAL.
$13.00 PER TON. WM. EVERHART.

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MOTHERS
Keep the family free from colds by using

Keep a Little Body-Guard in Your Home
VICK'S VAPORUB

NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

(Continued from page 3.)

John Lawson, Mrs. Claude Neville, Mrs. Will Rhoades, Mrs. Maggie Westfall, Miss Anna Shanks, and the hostesses. The next meeting will be held Wednesday, January 16, at the home of Mrs. John Lawson.

Eyes Tested Free
Glasses Fitted
We Guarantee Satisfaction.

H. L. Raines
JEWELER AND OPTICIAN
110 W 3RST "JUST A STEP PAST MAIN
MARYVILLE, MO.

MAZOLA

for the *best* results in deep frying, sautéing, shortening and salad dressings.

MAZOLA is the pure, delicious oil produced from American corn which enables the housewife to serve the best of food—and at the same time save the country's butter, lard, suet, in accordance with the plan of Food Administrator Hoover.

Mazola reaches cooking heat long before it smokes, prevents fried foods from becoming greasy, makes them more digestible and is *more economical* than the old cooking mediums.

Mazola does not transmit taste or odor from one food to another—can be used over and over again.

It comes in pint, quart, half-gallon and gallon tins—for greatest economy buy in the large sizes. Ask your grocer for a copy of the free Mazola Book of Recipes—or write us direct.

Your money refunded if Mazola does not give entire satisfaction.

Corn Products Refining Co.
17 Battery Place, New York

Selling Representatives
H. C. Lockhart
429 Brokers Building
Kansas City, Mo.

RAW FURS

The market is high on all kinds of FURS. Write for Special No. 1. CHAS. A. JENSEN, buyer of Furs, Hides, Produce, Maryville, Mo.

THE SISSON LOAN & TITLE CO.
MARYVILLE, MISSOURI
Real Estate, Loans and Insurance
Counting Rooms Over Nodaway Valley Bank
Best Terms Ever Offered—See Us.

Income Taxes

A representative of the Internal Revenue Collector of Kansas City will be at the Nodaway County Court House from January 21 to 27 to give information about the new income tax.

Every unmarried person whose net income for 1917 is more than $1,000 and every married person whose net income is more than $2,000 are required to make returns. We urge all persons who will possibly be effected to begin making up an estimate of their incomes and be prepared to turn same in at that time.

As the Government has laid out strict rules for the enforcement of the law, it is imperative that there should be no attempt at evasion. Also there is a penalty by fine or by imprisonment or by both. All reports must be filed by March 1, 1918.

Nodaway Valley Bank Real Estate Bank
Farmers Trust Company First National Bank
Gillam-Jackson Loan & Trust Co.

WATCH YOUR EYE-SIGHT

EYES EXAMINED FREE

Our expert graduate Optometrist will diagnose your eye troubles and tell you what you need. The service is free at

KUCHS BROTHERS
222 N. Main Street

For
Your Home

Or to send to your friends, nice Bright Red POINSETTIAS, pink or red CYCLAMEN or Glory de Lorraine BEGONIAS, loaded with bright pink flowers, any of which will last for many weeks with ordinary care.

The Engelmann Greenhouses
Phones 17. 1001 So. Main st.

Pay Cash For Meat

It will mean a big SAVING to you, for it means that you don't have to pay for extra bookkeeping and bad debts. And our selling for cash and making no delivery give you greater value for your money. It is only logical that we should be able to SELL FOR LESS.

It will pay you to take advantage of these

Wednesday Specials

Prime rib roasts, lb	16c
Choice chuck roast, lb	16c
Beef tongues, lb	22½c
Pork shoulders (whole) lb	24c
Sliced liver, lb	15c
Choice cut steaks, lb	17½c
Sirloin and round steaks, lb	22½c
No. 1 smoked ham, lb	26c
Smoked bacon squares, lb	35c
Cat fish and Halibut steaks, lb	25c
Fancy native boneless roasts, lb	22c
Lamb legs, lb	25c
Veal roast, lb	17½c
Pork chops, lb	28c
Fresh skinned hams, lb	28c
Boiling beef, lb	12½c
10-lb pails pure lard	$2.95
5-lb pails pure lard	$1.50

The Packers Market Co.

Wrangling Over Estates

Do you want your heirs to fight and wrangle over your estate?

Or do you want to spare them this humiliation?

Do you want them to pay some lawyer half the value of your estate, or do you want to spare them this expense?

Do you want them to become estranged and unfriendly ,or do you want them to live together in love and harmony?

It might be well to think of these things. If you make the Farmers Trust Company your executor, everything will be done in harmony and according to the terms of your will.

Farmers Trust Co.

GEO. L. WILFLEY, Pres. S. H. KEMP, Cash. & Sec'y
W. C. PIERCE, Vice-Pres. A. K. FRANK, Ass't Sec'y
C. D. BELLOWS, Vice-Pres. H. D. SNYDER, Ass't Sec'y
GEO. R. ELLISON, Vice-Pres. & Counsel A. W. HOOVER, Attorney

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Auto Spring Welding

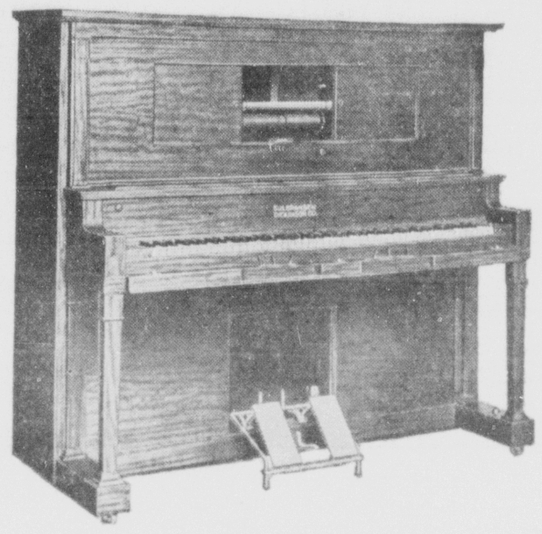
Fender Bracing and General Auto Repairing.

Not being able to secure a shoer, I have cut out Horse Shoeing and added Auto Repairing to my general blacksmith work.

I have made a specialty of Spring Welding and Auto Blacksmithing for several years, and having added an experienced auto repair man, I solicit your auto repairing, assuring you every piece of work will receive the same care and attention that has characterized every job turned out of my shop in the past.

Bring in your disc and plow work now, so we can get it out for spring work.

Geo. Bramble
East Third Street
General Blacksmithing and Auto Repairing.



Gulbransen Players

Standard in quality, in construction and price. Easy to play and always ready. Suburban Model in mahogany, oak or Burl walnut..... $395.

We will be glad to demonstrate these pianos to you, either in our store or in your home.

Victrolas and Starr Phonographs

A large stock of machines and records always on hand. Every home should have music of some kind and you can buy a genuine Victrola as low as $20. Easy payments.

We sell Popular Music, standard songs and ballads and the McKinley Edition of 10 cent music.

Landon Music Co.
North Main Street.

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell on the Vern Manly farm, 4 miles northwest of Maryville and 4 miles east of Wilcox, on

Wednesday, January 16

HORSES—1 4-year-old gelding, weight 1150.

14 HEAD OF CATTLE—4 cows to be fresh early, 4 steer calves, 2 heifers to be fresh in July, 3 calves.

51 HEAD OF HOGS—2 male hogs, Duroc Jerseys, 7 brood sows, 44 shoats weighing 80 to 120 pounds.

8 HEAD OF SHEEP—8 head of thoroughbred Shropshire ewes to bring lambs in February.

HAY AND GRAIN—5 tons of barn hay, 2 tons of clover in barn, 150 bushels good seed oats.

IMPLEMENTS—1 wagon, 1 set work harness, 1 riding Dempster cultivator, good as new, 2 row stalk cutter, 1 corn sheller, other articles too numerous to mention.

Lunch by Wilcox Christian church.

TERMS—3, 6 or 9 months time on bankable note at 8 per cent from date. All property to be settled for before being taken from farm.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.
J. D. Richey, Clerk.

J. C. Adams

Joint Closing Out Sale

We will sell at the Hosteter farm, 7 miles northeast of Burlington Junction, 6 miles southeast of Clearmont, 1 mile west of Mt. Pleasant church, on

Thursday, January 10, 1918

the following described property:

5 HEAD OF HORSES—Spring colt, bay mare, 11 year old, weight 1100; brown mare, 10 years old, weight 1180; 2 two-year-old colts.

40 HEAD OF CATTLE—6-year-old cows with calf by side, a good milker; 14 head cows, 13 head of steers and heifers, 12 spring calves.

GRAIN—300 bushels sorted corn in crib, 105 shocks fodder corn.

IMPLEMENTS—4 horse disc, two cultivators, wagon, sled, 2 sets harness, household goods and other articles.

TERMS—3, 6 or 9 months time on bankable note, bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

Lunch on grounds.

OTIS SMITH and ROBERT M. HOSTETER
Pence Bros., Aucts. Roy Hanna, Clerk.